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The House met at 10 a.m.

The Chaplain, Rev. James David Ford, D.D., offered the following pray-

We accept Your good graces, O God, though we know we miss the mark; we appreciate the wonders of Your world, though we are busy with what is immediate and necessary; we yearn for the blessings of faith, though we don't always understand. Above the demands of the day and more important than all we do, we offer our thanks and praise for the gifts of this day and the hopes and dreams of tomorrow. Amen.

THE JOURNAL

The SPEAKER. The Chair has examined the Journal of the last day's proceedings and announces to the House his approval thereof.

Pursuant to clause 1, rule I, the Journal stands approved.

Mr. CARDÎN. Mr. Speaker, pursuant to clause 1, rule I, I demand a vote on agreeing to the Speaker's approval of the Journal.

The SPEAKER. The question is on the Chair's approval of the Journal.

The question was taken; and the Speaker announced that the ayes appeared to have it.

Mr. CARDIN. Mr. Speaker, I object to the vote on the ground that a quorum is not present and make the point of order that a quorum is not present.

The SPEAƘER. Evidently a quorum is not present.

The Sergeant at Arms will notify absent Members.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—yeas 338, nays 56, answered "present" 1, not voting 31, as follows:

[Roll No. 132] YEAS-338

Ackerman Archer Baesler Baker (CA) Armey Andrews Bachus Baker (LA)

Baldacci Ballenger Barcia Barrett (NE) Barrett (WI) Barton Bass Bateman Beilenson Bentsen Bereuter Bevill Bilbray Biliraǩis Bishop Bliley Boehlert Boehner Bonior Bono Boucher Brewster Browder Brown (OH) Brownback Bryant (TN) Bryant (TX) Bunning Burr Buyer Callahan Calvert Camp Campbell Canady Cardin Castle Chabot Chambliss

Chenoweth

Christensen

Chrysler

Clayton

Clement

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Clyburn

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Costello

Cooley

Cox

Coyne

Collins (GA)

Coble

Cremeans Cubin Cunningham Danner Davis de la Garza Deal DeLauro DeLay Dellums Deutsch Dickey Dicks Dingell Dixon Doggett Dooley Doolittle Dreier Duncan Durbin Edwards Ehlers Ehrlich Emerson Engel English Eshoo Evans Fattah Fawell Fields (LA) Fields (TX) Flake Foley Forbes Ford Fowler Fox Franks (CT) Franks (NJ) Frelinghuysen Frisa Frost Gallegly Ganske Gejdenson Gekas Geren Gilchrest Gilman Gonzalez Goodlatte Goodling

Greenwood Hall (TX) Hamilton Hancock Hansen Hastert Hastings (FL) Hastings (WA) Haves Hayworth Hefner Herger Hinchey Hobson Hoekstra Hoke Holden Horn Hostettler Houghton Hoyer Hunter Hutchinson Hyde Inglis Istook Jackson (IL) Jackson-Lee Jefferson Johnson (CT) Johnson (SD) Johnston Jones Kanjorski Kaptur Kasich Kellv Kennedy (MA) Kennelly Kildee Kim King Kingston Kleczka Klink Klug Knollenberg Kolbe LaHood Laughlin Lazio Leach Lewis (CA) Lewis (KY) Lightfoot Linder LoBiondo Lofgren Longley Lowey Lucas

Martinez Martini Mascara Matsui McCarthy McCollum McHale McHugh McInnis McIntosh McKeon McKinney McNulty Meehan Meek Metcalf Mevers Millender-McDonald Miller (CA) Miller (FL) Minge Mink Moakley Molinari Mollohan Montgomery Moorhead Moran Morella Murtha Myers Myrick Nethercutt Neumann Ney Norwood Nussle Ortiz Orton Oxley Packard Parker Pastor Paxon

Abercrombie

Becerra Borski

Clay DeFazio

Dornan

Ensign

Everett

Fazio

Filner

Flanagan Funderburk

Gephardt

Gibbons

Gillmor

Payne (NJ) Payne (VA) Pelosi Peterson (FL) Petri Pomeroy Porter Portman Poshard Pryce Quillen Quinn Řadanovich Rahall Ramstad Reed Regula Richardson Riggs Rivers Roberts Roemer Rogers Rohrabacher Ros-Lehtinen Rose Roukema Roybal-Allard Royce Salmon Sanders Sanford Sawyer Scarborough Schiff Schumer Scott Seastrand Sensenbrenner Serrano Shadegg Shaw Shays Shuster Sisisky Skeen

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□ This symbol represents the time of day during the House proceedings, e.g., □ 1407 is 2:07 p.m. Matter set in this typeface indicates words inserted or appended, rather than spoken, by a Member of the House on the floor.

Luther

Manzullo

Gordon

Graham

Green (TX)

Greene (UT)

